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House Resolution No. 700

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Whereas, it is with great pride and sincere admiration that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives honor treasured residents of the Show-Me State who have experienced the joys and blessings of a prosperous marriage; and

Whereas, sixty-five years ago on February 20, 1943, Roy Pierce took the hand of his beautiful bride, Olga K. Kramme, as they began their commitment to a lifetime of shared love and devotion by exchanging wedding vows during a solemn ceremony officiated by the Reverend F.E.J. Schenk in Union, Missouri; and

Whereas, in the years since that heavenly day, Roy and Olga Pierce have had the pleasure of watching their family grow to include two children, Arlene Lampkin and her husband, Garry, and Garrett Pierce; three grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren; and

Whereas, now retired, Roy Pierce is known as a dedicated family man who generously provided his loved ones with a comfortable home and secure future through his successful endeavors as a school teacher, factory worker, and employee of the United States Postal Service; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and outstanding homemaker, Olga Pierce further distinguished herself as a bookkeeper and store manager; and

Whereas, Roy and Olga Pierce have enjoyed many hobbies and pastimes over the years, a few of which include gardening, fishing, camping, and bird watching; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Pierce, residents of St. Clair, will commemorate the glorious occasion of their Sixty-fifth Wedding Anniversary on February 20, 2008:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Roy and Olga Pierce for their tremendous success in achieving sixty-five years of wedded bliss and in wishing them only the best as they continue their journey walking hand-in-hand along life's path; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pierce, as a measure of our esteem for them.

Offered b	Representative Brian Nieves
	District No. 98
Ninety-fo do certify	tton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, burth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, that the above is a true and correct copy of House on No. 700, adopted February 19, 2008.
Rod Jetto	on, Speaker